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REGION VIII - EASTERN VISAYAS

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REGIONAL MEMORANDUM

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SERIES OF WEBINARS ON CHILD PROTECTION POLICY

To: Schools Division Superintendents
All Others Concerned

1. Attached is an announcement from the Regional Operations Team, Office of the Undersecretary for Field Operations, DepEd Central Office, relative to the conduct of series of webinars pertaining to child rights, child protection and positive discipline, which will be held on different dates.
2. Immediate dissemination of and compliance with this memorandum are desired.


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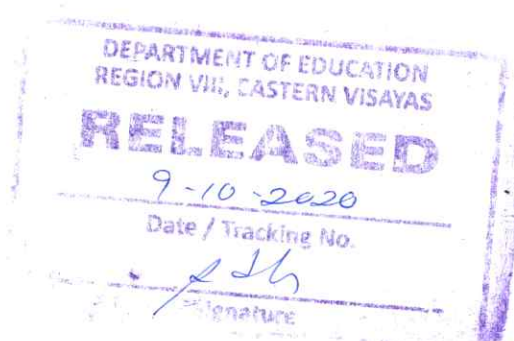
Enclosure: Program Briefer

References: None

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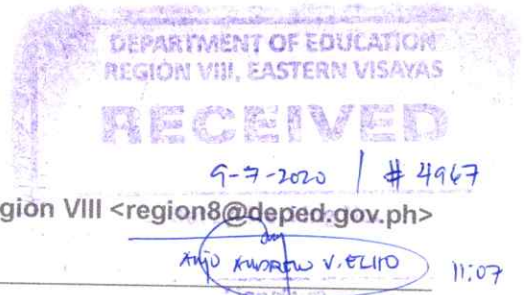
WEBINAR CHILD PROTECTION CHILD RIGHTS POSITIVE DISCIPLINE

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[ANNOUNCEMENT] Series of Webinars on Child Protection Policy

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Good day!

With the guidance of the **Basic Education – Learning Continuity Program (BE-LCP)**, the various modes of learning delivery have adapted to the health and safety protocols observed during this time. Moreover, changes in the learning delivery and the facilitation of learning are expected. Unfortunately, there are **certain risks** in these new platforms and adjustments. Some of these risks are **corporal punishment, cyberbullying, online predators, and child violence**.

Thus, the **Office of the Undersecretary for Legal Affairs** is developing a **supplemental policy for both DepEd Order No. 40, series of 2012, or the Child Protection Policy, and DepEd Order No. 55, series of 2013, or the IRR for the Anti-Bullying Act, in light of the COVID-19 pandemic**.

OULA has delegated the Regional Operations Team to assist in cascading information on their activities regarding the Child Protection Policy to the field offices. **Three talks/webinars will be conducted: Child Rights in Basic Education, Child Protection in the New Normal, and Positive Discipline in Education for Parents and Guardians**. This is to ensure that there will be **maximum participation** from the target audience, namely parents/guardians, learning facilitators, guidance counselors, and learners.

The Team is currently working on a contacts database containing the information of DepEd third level officials and school heads for better coordination. Also, we would like to **request for a focal person on the Child Protection Policy per SDO**.

Attached are pertinent files including the program briefer and various publication materials or posters for your reference and guidance. Kindly disseminate to your respective SDOs and Schools.

*ORO mob
9-7-20*

For more information, you may contact our communications team focal person Manuela Dayawon at manuela.dayawon@deped.gov.ph.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this email.

Thank you!

Respectfully,



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Child Rights in Education Poster.png
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Positive Discipline for Parents and Guardians Poster.png
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PROGRAM BRIEFER

*Isulong! Karapatan ng mga Bata sa Edukasyon sa Panahon ng COVID-19
(Serye ng mga Webinar)*

Background

The COVID-19 pandemic has altered the landscape of basic education in the country. Despite the challenges brought about by this health emergency, the Department of Education (DepEd) is committed to delivering rights-based education (RBE) and to respecting, protecting and fulfilling every child's rights in education, including balancing their right to access to education and their right to health and safety. Thus, the DepEd formulated and issued the Basic Education-Learning Continuity Plan (BE-LCP) under D.O. No. 12, s. 2020 which introduces different learning modalities (LDMs) in this "new normal," such as distance learning, blended learning and home schooling.

The whole of DepEd, especially the Region and Division officers, school heads, and school leaders, are faced with the challenge of adapting to the LDMs. Moreover, parents and guardians are also met with the added responsibility of actively supervising and facilitating the learning of their children at home.

In response to these challenges, the National Educators Academy of the Philippines (NEAP), the official training arm of the DepEd, has launched LCP courses to aid our educators through capacity development training sessions. The Office of the Undersecretary for Legal Affairs (OULA) has been tasked to develop a module on Child Rights and Child Protection in Basic Education, under the series of modules under the course entitled "Learner Welfare and Well-Being." OULA welcomes this opportunity to advocate for RBE even at an extraordinary time like this. Moreover, the modules, which will be delivered through online webinars, will also be broadcasted on TV as part of the orientation package of the DepEd during the first week of classes. It gives us a rare chance to spread the advocacy to thousands of educators and millions of households despite the current circumstances. Hence, OULA has developed a module entitled "Child Rights and Child Protection in Basic Education."

Module Design

The module is officially entitled "Child Rights and Child Protection in Basic Education." However, we shall advertise it as:

Theme: *Isulong! Karapatan ng mga Bata sa Edukasyon sa Panahon ng COVID-19 (Serye ng mga Webinar)*

Hashtags: #IsulongKarapatanSaEdukasyon #SulongEdukalidad #WeHealAsOne

There will be a series of three topics that will be discussed in this module: Child Rights in Basic Education, Child Protection in the New Normal, and Positive Discipline in Education for Parents and Guardians.

Child Rights in Basic Education (Karapatan ng mga Bata sa Edukasyon)	
Course Description	This course will introduce the rights of the child in education under Philippine law and international law. It will orient school leaders, teachers, and parents on the four

Course Description	<p>Because learning will be done mostly at home and online, children will be exposed and be vulnerable to several risks that have not been contemplated before. This series will discuss relevant issues on child protection in light of the new normal. It will refresh school leaders and teachers and will orient parents on the Child Protection Policy (CPP) of the DepEd. It will also discuss the risks to and vulnerabilities of children while learning in this new normal and how school leaders, teachers, and parents can safeguard the children and address these threats. This course will also introduce the supplemental policy to the CPP of the DepEd, explicitly addressing the risks in the new normal.</p>
Attendees	<p>Required attendees: 720</p> <p>IN ZOOM:</p> <p>From the Regional Offices: (17 regions; Total: 51)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> d. Representative from the Legal Unit e. Representative from the Educational Support Services Division f. Representative from the Curriculum and Learning Management Divisions <p>From the Division Offices: (223 Divisions; Total: 669)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> d. Representative from the Legal Unit e. Representative from the Curriculum Implementation Division f. Representative from the School Governance and Operations Division <p>VIA FACEBOOK LIVE:</p> <p>Other attendees that will be the target of promotions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • School heads • School teachers • Other DepEd personnel • Parents and guardians • Private school heads and teachers • Children • Child Protection Specialists
Resource Persons	<p>Ysrael Diloy Senior Advocacy Officer Stairway Foundation (Episodes 1-4)</p> <p>Wilma Bañaga Child Protection Adviser Save the Children Philippines (Episode 5)</p> <p>Atty. Orville dela Cerna (as host) Legal Officer DepEd Division of Cebu Province</p> <p>Panel Reactors (TBD)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parent representative from the National Parent-Teacher Association • Student-leader from the Positive Youth Development Network • School head nominated by the Office of the Undersecretary for Regional Operations <p>Sign Language Interpreter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TBD

Schedule	September 28 - October 2, 2020, 10:00 AM – 12:00 NN															
Episodes and Schedule	<p>Episode 1 - Setting the Child Protection Landscape in the New Normal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date and time: September 28, 10:00 AM • Description: Elaborating different child online protection concerns from content, contact, conduct, and context of the online world. <p>Episode 2 - Building up children's protective behavior in the new normal</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date and time: September 29, 10:00 AM • Description: What are the protective behaviors that children need to acquire for the digital world and what can parents and caregivers do to build up children's protective behaviors and skills? <p>Episode 3 and 4 - Making schools safe in the new normal*</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date and time: September 30 and October 1, 10:00 AM • Description: How should schools set-up child-safe online school communications and learning platforms, elaborate online behavior protocols, and empower the Child Protection Committees in the new normal? <p>Episode 5 – Practicing Positive Discipline for Teachers in the New Normal**</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date and time: October 2, 10:00 AM • Description: In the new normal of basic education, how do teachers apply positive and non-violent approaches to discipline? <p>* The Child Protection Policy in the New Normal should already be available for Episodes 3 and 4. ** This is a bonus episode with Save the Children as main resource speaker instead of Stairway Foundation.</p>															
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Positive Discipline in Education for Parents and Guardians (Positibong Disiplina sa Edukasyon Para sa mga Magulang at Tagapangalaga)	
Course Description	In the new normal, parents and guardians will play a more significant role in the education of their children. They will be supervising and facilitating the child's learning at home. This is a novel arrangement for most parents, and they may feel overwhelmed and unequipped to handle this set-up. This course will provide support to the parents and guardians by training them on positive discipline while educating their children at home.
Attendees	Attendees that will be the target of promotions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parents and guardians • School heads • School teachers • Other DepEd personnel • Private school heads and teachers • Children
Resource Persons	<p>Wilma Bañaga Child Protection Adviser Save the Children Philippines</p> <p>Jerly Villanada Child Protection Manager Save the Children Philippines</p> <p>Isabelita Ceraon (as host) Teacher DepEd Division of Quezon City</p> <p>Testimonials from 5 Practitioners of Positive Discipline</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ms. Mariel Mariano, SCP Parent-trainer on Positive Discipline • Mr. Edgar Marshall Brinas, Division of Tanauan City • Ms. Anna Marie Austero, Division of Tanjay City • Mr. Peter Mallonga, Infant Jesus Academy • Ms. Ma Cristina Nogoy, Division of San Jose del Monte City <p>Sign Language Interpreter</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TBD
Schedule	Every Wednesday of the month of September 3:00-5:00 PM via online streaming
Sessions	<p>Episode 1 – Introduction to Positive Discipline (COVID-19 Context)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date and time: September 9, 3:00 – 5:00 PM <p>Episode 2 – Identifying long-term goals</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date and time: September 16, 3:00-5:00 PM <p>Episode 3 - Providing warmth and structure</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date and time: September 23, 3:00 – 5:00 PM <p>Episode 4 – Understanding how children think and feel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date and time: September 30, 3:00-5:00 PM <p>Episode 5 – Responding to Challenges using Positive Discipline</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Date and time: October 9, 3:00-5:00 PM

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	3:00 – 3:30 PM (30 mins)	Opening activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - National Anthem - Short prayer - Opening Message - Brief description of the featured episode - Ice-breaker/interactive activity with the participants
	3:30 – 4:15 PM (45 mins)	Lecture proper
	4:15 – 4:20 PM (5 mins)	Testimonial from a parent practicing positive discipline Testimonial from a child-recipient of positive discipline
	4:20 – 4:45 PM (25 mins)	Question and answer
	4:45 – 5:00 PM (15 mins)	Closing activities <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Evaluation - Closing Message - Recitation of the <i>Panatang Makabata</i> - Announcement of next episode